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In re Application of	:
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Application No. 09/822,164	: DECISION GRANTING PETITION
Filed: March 30, 2001	: UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)
Attorney Docket No. P5546 US	:

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed December 27, 2004, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed April 6, 2004, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned on July 7, 2004. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on November 15, 2004.

The petition satisfies the conditions for revival pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that (1) the reply; (2) the petition fee; and (3) the required statement of unintentional delay have been received. Accordingly, the reply to the nonfinal Office action of April 6, 2004 is accepted as having been unintentionally delayed.

There is no indication that the person signing the instant petition was ever given a power of attorney or authorization of agent to prosecute the above-identified application. If the person signing the instant petition desires to receive future correspondence regarding this application, the appropriate power of attorney or authorization of agent must be submitted. While a courtesy copy of this decision is being mailed to the person signing the instant petition, all future correspondence will be directed to the address currently of record until such time as appropriate instructions are received to the contrary.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3218.

The application file is being forwarded to Technology Center AU 2122 for appropriate action in due course on the reply received December 27, 2004.



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